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# TALLINN – DESTINATION PRESENTATION

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# City of Tallinn - DMO Tallinn

The city has set a target to achieve climate neutrality by 2050

Climate Action Plan was approved in 2021

- Decrease emissions – 35% compared to 2007
- Deal with climate risks
- Seek changes in energy consumption and switch to renewable energy

Direct interventions from the city that includes travel and tourism sector:

Urban transport and soft mobility – public transport and city card system, international MICE delegate FOC

Green- and blue network

Circular economy – hotels and restaurants focus on waste collection, food waste and big events sustainability





# Achievements during last 3 years that are visible to visitors

**Environmentally friendly events regulations (accepted 2022):**

- **Banning single plastic utensils in outdoor public events**
- **Trams, trolleys on renewables**  
**Biogas buses from 2025**

**Public water taps around the city during the summer period**

**Green choices menu during Tallinn Restaurant Week events (Mar/Nov)**

**Protecting the city's urban nature:**

**Tallinn has 78 parks and 13% of the city's territory is covered by NATURA2000**

**Restoration of valuable communities – coastal meadows (with cattle), bog meadows (Pääsküla) and dry meadows (Pääsküla, Merimetsa)**

**Pollinator Highway (B.Green project)**





# Main challenges in climate action implementation

- Insufficient and fragmented funding
- Lack of cross-sectoral coordination and expertise
- Legal limitations and gaps in national policy
- Low awareness and motivation among businesses and residents
- Slow implementation and weak monitoring



# Developing our urban environment

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